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1. In spite of considerable propaganda about the return to heavy industry in early spring 1955, there have been personnel reductions in factories in Kiev and many workers have gone to the kolkhozy.
2. There is considerable dissatisfaction among the Kiev populace about the lack of consumer goods, and the local inhabitants feel that it will be even worse concerning the necessities of life. There are lines in the stores in the city for butter and sugar. At the markets there is produce, but it is expensive.

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